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CONGRESS OPENS

MET AT NOON TODAY ON FINAL SESSION OF THE 64TH TERM.

LEGISLATURE PROBLEMS

Confronted With Domestic and Foreign Matters of Vast Moment—Session Ends March 4.

(By E. R. Sartwell, International News Service Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, Dec. 4.—Today marked the beginning of the end of the sixty-fourth congress—an epoch-making national legislative body. With only three months of its life remaining, the congress at noon today opened its final session, confronted with domestic and foreign legislative problems of vast moment.

In the legislative program laid down by President Wilson for the "short session," which ends March 4, time will be the essence of the contract. From the first fall of the gavels in house and senate at noon today the national legislators began a fight against time and a drive for speed.

Will Rush Legislation.

With Democratic control of the house in the sixty-fifth congress a matter of grave doubt, the administration is prepared to make every effort to put through its important measures within the next three months and avoid an extra session next spring.

Despite the declaration of house and senate leaders that the short session will barely have time to do the routine work of providing funds for the next fiscal year, the congress is confronted with demands for action along many general legislative lines.

Legislation must be passed, it is felt to meet the recurring crisis in the railroad labor situation. It has become apparent that the eight-hour law passed in the closing hours of the last session merely postponed the struggle between the railroads and their operating employes.

Railroads a Problem.

Investigations by various commissions and committees are already under way seeking a solution of the railroad problem, but with the constitutionality of the eight-hour law under attack in the courts, and the brotherhoods threatening a general strike unless the eight-hour day becomes effective January 1, congress will be forced to act at once, without awaiting the results of investigations.

President Wilson is determined to prevent the disastrous consequences of a general railroad tie-up, and he will go to almost any lengths to avert an open break. Just what legislation will be proposed to meet this strike situation is not clear, but pressure is already tremendous in Washington for a general law enforcing an investigation of labor disputes before a strike can legally be called.

Will Extend Foreign Trade.

The ambitious administration plans for extending American foreign trade and equipping American export commerce for the world trade war that will follow settlement of the European conflict call for extensive legislation. The start on this program has already been made. The house at the last session passed the Webb bill exempting from the operations of the anti-trust laws combinations of American merchants and manufacturers formed for the sole purpose of engaging in the foreign trade. This measure failed to pass the senate, but will be taken up in the upper house at once. Despite strenuous opposition, the bill is expected to become a law.

Code of Neutrality Laws.

A complete code of neutrality laws,

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STILL FILING EXPENSES

Many Candidates in Recent Election Now Making Affidavits of Amount Spent in Election.

Many of the candidates at the recent election are now filing their campaign statement of expenses. The time limit is up December 8. J. E. Reese for county surveyor spent $25 being the assessment paid to the Democratic county committee.

Edward McMillan gave $10 to the Republican county committee; spent $1 for postage and cigars cost him $5.30.

Elihu Busby gave the Republican county committee $100, advertising and printing was $13.50, cigars $19.50, and filing fee $5. Total $138.

HENRY HEITMAN FOR PLACE

Petition Presented to County Court Asking His Appointment to Polk Township Board.

A petition was presented to the county court in session today for the appointment of Henry Heitman as a member of the Polk township board to fill out the unexpired term of John F. Dowden, sheriff-elect, who has resigned. The court will probably make the appointment this week.

The court today was spending its time in going over the school loans. These loans amount to $157,000.

SCORE POISONED IN CAFE

Heroic Measures Save Lives of Persons in Arcade Restaurant in Brooklyn—Investigation On.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Dec. 4.—More than a score of persons poisoned this morning at the Arcade restaurant in Brooklyn. Heroic measures and stomach pumps saved the lives of many but several were taken to the hospital in a serious condition. Proprietor says they were taken sick after drinking coffee. An investigation is being made.

1426 BOOKS OUT IN NOV.

Miss Grace Langan, Librarian, Makes Monthly Report of Public Library—$13.25 Collected.

Miss Grace Langan, librarian, has presented the following library report for the month of November:

Total number of books and magazines loaned, 1426.

Average per day, 57.

Total number of readers in reading rooms, 2797.

Average per day, 96.

Number of readers' cards issued, 37.

Total amount of collections, $13.25.

RESULT OF CABINET CHANGES

English Political Shake-Up Will Greatly Affect Military Plans, Especially Conscription.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Dec. 4.—A British cabinet shake-up, the second since the war began, is expected to have the following results: to put greater power into the hands of military authorities; to have conscription such as Germany now has; and more vigorous prosecution of war in all fields.

To Visit in Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. S. Miller left this morning for a visit with her sons, Robert Miller and family, of Collinsville, Okla., and Henry Miller of Vinita, Okla. She was accompanied as far as St. Joseph by her daughter, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, who spent the day there.

102 Enroll at Normal.

The enrollment at the Maryville Normal school up to 3 o'clock this afternoon was 102. Today was spent in classification and registration, and tomorrow regular classes will be held.

ISSUE 85 CARDS

SATURDAY'S TRADE WEEK SALES AMOUNT TO $1,152.96.

LARGEST SALE $53.12

Today's Trade is Fair, 27 Cards Having Been Given Until Noon—Merchants Well Pleased.

Total number of trade week cards issued Saturday, 85.

Amount of sales represented by cards, $1,152.96.

Largest sale recorded on cards, $53.12.

How's this for an auspicious beginning of trade week? Can't be beat you say? And this is the opinion of all the merchants who are in Maryville's trade festival.

Fair weather smiles on the efforts of the Maryville merchants to bring the out-of-town customer to the best point in northwest Missouri to do the holiday shopping and the winter trading. All day Saturday the sky was cloudless and the roads were in fine condition for easy traveling. Customers from Conception, Clyde, Ravenwood, Burlington Junction and many other county points came in their automobiles and stayed for the day.

These persons visited the grocery stores, the hardware and the dry goods stores, and some had their photographs taken. In fact, scarcely a merchant on the trade week list but had plenty of calls for the fare-refund cards.

Today the morning sales were slow, but in the afternoon things began to boom, twenty-seven cards having been turned in at the Commercial club rooms by 3 o'clock.

The merchants interested in trade week will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Commercial club rooms to discuss plans for pushing the trade week movement by various methods to be used in stimulating interest and assuring publicity.

Tomorrow a much larger crowd is expected because not so many country people can leave home on Monday after the Sunday holiday.

A question of interest to travelers is the following: "How about having my fare refunded twice. If I weren't able buy everything the first day, do I get a refund if I come for a second day? Surely. You may come every day, and just so you buy the required amount the reund will be given.

W. R. C. ELECTS OFFICERS

Mrs. Dora Holbrook Chosen President of Organization for the Year—Convention Delegates Named.

The W. R. C. held election of officers at their regular meeting Saturday afternoon. The following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. Dora Holbrook; senior vice president, Mrs. R. S. Braniger; junior vice president, Mrs. Dora Eckert; chaplain, Mrs. Olney; conductress, Mrs. Katherine Miller; guard, Mrs. Fidelia Gearhart.

The delegates for state convention to be held at Springfield in May were chosen as follows: Mrs. Lee Gault, Mrs. Mary Hook and Mrs. Elizabeth Martin. The alternates are: Mrs. L. L. Maier, Mrs. Dickerson and Mrs. Henry Keilley. The appointive officers will be filled later.

TO INVESTIGATE CAMPAIGN.

Senator Owen Makes Known Intentions of Conducting Probe.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Right after congress convened today Senator Owen of Oklahoma announced he would introduce in the Senate tomorrow a resolution for a sweeping investigation into the campaign expenditures of the late national campaign.

Visited in Tarkio.

Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret Raines spent Thanksgiving at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Emmert of Tarkio. They returned yesterday afternoon in the Emmert car, accompanied by Mrs. T. J. Emmert, H. B. Emmert and Miss Olga Emmert, who spent the day here.

Parnell Masons Elect Officers.

The Parnell lodge of Masons elected officers Saturday and selected Dr. H. Day as worshipful master; senior warden, George Wilson, junior warden, J. H. Hutchison; secretary, H. A. Frawley; treasurer, J. W. Kennedy.

JUNKETING COMMITTEE

Selects Senator Berford as Chairman and Howard Ellis is Secretary—Will Start Visits Soon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Dec. 4.—The junketing committee of the legislature met today and organized by electing Senator Carter A. Buford of Reynolds county as chairman and Howard Ellis of Montgomery county as secretary. The other members of the committee are Representatives Wilson L. Shouse of Shelbi county, Democrat, and P. H. Barris of Lawrence county, Republican. The committee will visit and inspect all state eleemosynary and educational institutions this month and make their report to the legislature which meets soon after the first of the year.

This is the committee that will visit the Maryville State Normal school.

2 S.S. CONVENTIONS

GOOD PROGRAMS AT PICKERING AND QUITMAN ASSOCIATIONS.

CHOOSE ANNUAL OFFICERS

O. G. Null and Rev. Murphy Elected Presidents—Maryville Folks Take Part In Program.

O. G. Null of Pickering and Rev. Murphy of Quitman were elected presidents of the township associations held at Pickering and Quitman yesterday morning and afternoon respectively. The other officers elected at Pickering were: Vice president, W. M. Hall; secretary, R. O. Lincoln; treasurer, Leslie Moore; elementary superintendent, Mrs. C. R. Harman; secondary superintendent, J. W. Wiley; adult and home superintendent, C. R. Harmon, and managing superintendent, James Jones.

The devotional of the Pickering program was led by O. G. Null. The "Value of Story Telling in Sunday School" was discussed by Miss Julia Denny, and her talk was followed by a song sung by the primary department of the Methodist church. The feature of the program was a song sung by three small boys, the youngest of whom was 4 years old. The boys were: Raymond Houston, Donis Hood and Donald Johnson. A talk on "Teen Age Problems," by G. B. Roseberry, a talk on "The Needs of Union Township Sunday School Association," and a song by the junior department of the Christian church closed the program.

The Quitman convention was held in the afternoon. The following officers were elected: Vice president, Miss Ethel Gillinger; secretary, Miss Pauline Smith; treasurer, Miss Nina Bowman; elementary superintendent, Miss Grace Hoyt; secondary superintendent, Mrs. Mary Brooks; adult and home superintendent, J. A. Reed, and management superintendent, Mrs. Lydia Johnson.

G. B. Roseberry led the devotional and gave a talk. Miss Eva Davis gave a talk on "The Work of Green Township Association." Miss Lucie Davis spoke on the "Teens and Sunday School," and Mrs. R. M. Barry told how to teach Sunday school by story telling, giving practical illustrations. Prof. H. P. Swinehart had charge of the adult work.

Mrs. Marie Angell and son James, spent Thanksgiving in Tarkio the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Angell.

Notice.

The use of the public library as a starting point for parties and pleasure trips is prohibited.

By order of the library board.

K. of P. Lodge

will give a SMOKER and Refreshments Tuesday Night, December 5. All members are expected.

Somebody Wants Your

PHOTOGRAPH

Make an appointment now.

Marcell's Studio

RAILROAD FARES REBATED

HANSON IS HONORED

NORMAL ATHLETIC DIRECTOR MADE SECRETARY OF STATE ASS'N

TRACK MEET HERE 1919

Delegates Decide to Give Scholarship Medal in Connection With Athletics—Other Business Transacted.

Walter Hanson, athletic director at the Maryville Normal school, was elected secretary and treasurer of the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic association at the annual meeting held Friday and Saturday at the Coates house in Kansas City. The other officers chosen were: President, Dan Nee of Drury college, who will succeed Dr. H. G. Parker of William Jewell, who has been president of the association since its organization in 1912, and vice president, H. C. McWilliams of Tarkio.

The election of Mr. Hanson to the office of secretary-treasurer means that all of the business of the association will come through Maryville and that the standing of the various schools in athletics can be learned from him at any time.

During the meeting it was decided that a medal should be awarded by the association to the man who has the highest grade of scholarship in each institution, providing that he has taken part in one or more forms of athletics. This movement is designed to show that the coaches of the colleges stand for scholarship as well as athletics, and is intended to counteract the growing impression that athletics is the main feature of college life.

The Cape Girardeau normal school was admitted into conference, and the Rolla School of Mines was denied admittance. The Warrensburg normal school and the Polytechnic Institute of Kansas City, schools which were expected to attempt admission into the conference, failed to apply. The new member has not taken a large part in athletics and probably will be active only in football and basket ball. F. J. Coutloux is the athletic director of the school.

The state track meet goes to William Jewell. It will be held at Liberty, May 18. In the future the track meets will go to the schools not yet having had them, and will start in alphabetical order. Drury, Kirksville and Tarkio already have had track meets. Maryville will have the track meet in 1919. This track meet will be a big thing for Maryville, because it is an all-state affair and will bring some of the best athletes in the amateur world to contest here.

The football championship for 1916 was awarded to the Kirksville normal school. Schedules in basket ball, base ball and football for 1916-1917 were also made out at this meeting.

The representatives at the meeting from the different associations were: Drury, Dan Nee; William Jewell, R. E. Bowles; Maryville, Walter Hanson; Tarkio, C. R. Stives; Missouri-Wesleyan, J. E. Pixlee; Missouri Valley colleges, W. Y. Clingenspeel; Westminster lege, C. E. Clingenspeel; Westminster, T. P. Atchison; Kirksville normal, H. L. McWilliams, and Central Wesleyan, W. J. Limke.

ASSESSMENT BOOKS FILED

Jefferson and Independence Townships File Records for 1917 Taxes With County Clerk Fred Yeomans.

The assessment books of Jefferson and Independence townships for 1917 taxes were filed today with County Clerk Fred Yoemans. The assessment for Jefferson is $690,725 as compared to $707,290 last year. The real estate including the towns of Clyde and Conception Junction is assessed at $541,065 and the personal assessment is $149,660. John Martindale is the assessor of that township.

Independence township assessment is $961,850 for 1917 taxes. Last year it was $816,280. George Hepburn, judge-elect on the county court, is the assessor for that township.

The assessment for Independence is divided as follows:

Country real estate 39,042.71 acres, $720,280; town lots $45,670. Total real estate $765,950. Personal assessment follows: 1379 horses, $43,740.; 4 asses, $400; 209 mules, $8,380; 3050 cattle, $40,705; 839 sheep, $1,700; 2209 hogs, $7205; 215 goats, $215; money, notes and bonds, $65,025; and other personal property, $28,530. Total personal, $195,900.

VERN MANLEY INJURED

Farmer Tries to Stop Runaway Team, Misses Footing and is Thrown Under Horses.

Vern Manley was seriously bruised about 11:30 o'clock this morning when he tried to stop a runaway team near the farm of F. C. Conrad, three miles northwest of Maryville.

A team belongingto Ed. Vulgamott who lives on the Conrad farm, was standing in the corn field when the wagon tongue dropped down frightening the horses and causing them to run. They ran for some distance, and one of the horses fell into a deep culvert and was killed.

Several farmers came to the scene of the accident leaving their teams standing in the road. Just as they were returning, Mr. Manley's horses started to run. He ran into the road to stop them and as he grabbed at their bridles, he missed his footing and fell under the horses' feet. The wagon passed over him. He was also injured by a horse that was coming behind his team.

Hal Catterson brought Mr. Manley to town where he received treatment. He is severely bruised but no bones are broken. He was in great pain this afternoon.

RAILROAD FIGHT BEGINS

Will Start to Test Constitutionality of Adamson Law in Supreme Court This Afternoon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Railroads of country and government this afternoon began their fight in the supreme court to test the constitutionality of the Adamson eight-hour law. The court is asked to make a quick decision in the case because of the danger to the nation resulting from the fight of employes for eight-hour day. Solicitor General Davis presented a government appeal of the Missouri and Oklahoma case in which the law was held by Judge Hook of Kansas City to be unconstitutional and with attorneys for railroads urged that the hearing be as early as possible. A motion was made to set forth the decision of the court in this case as applying to the many suits brought by other railroads.

SPRING WEATHER LINGERS

Temperature 67 Today and 64 Yesterday, With Balmy South Winds and Clear Sky.

Temperature yesterday, 64.

Temperature today.

According to the records of Mr. Brink it was 64 on December 7, 1894; 64 on Dec. 12, 1896; 64 on Dec. 22, 1904, and 69 on Dec. 13, 1906.

So, it is just ten years since December has appeared among us clothed in the garb of spring and minus the sharp north wind.

This morning dawned with a thick fog covering all things. It even rained a little, but spring decided to stay on another day, and as a result we have the high temperature and the balmy winds of the season of youth.

Appointed Administrator.

Charles D. Lane was appointed administrator of the estate of his father, James F. Lane, who died November 22, at his home, near Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer and Mr. and Mrs. William Trullinger motored to St. Joseph Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Reavis and two children will return tonight from a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thummel of Parnell.

RUSSIA TO HELP

POWERFUL REINFORCEMENTS IN RUMANIA INTENSIFY SITUATION.

GERMANS FALL BACK

Petrograd Claims Important Gains for Armies Near Bucharest—Rioting at Brussels.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—The arrival of Russion reinforcements has given the battle for Bucharest a new phase of intensity.

Seasoned Russian veterans, southwest of Bucharest, have delivered powerful assaults in conjunction with a mighty Russian thrust in Carpathians, but the official dispatch says they broke down before Mackensen's defense.

Report Contradicted.

Petrograd, Dec. 4.—The official deport issued contradicts the claims of the German war office as to operations southwest of Bucharest. Russians claim to have driven the Germans back at this point and to have captured twenty-six guns.

Rioting at Brussels.

London, Dec. 4.—Between two and three hundred Belgians and German soldiers were killed in the rioting at Brussels on November 30, says a Reuter dispatch today. The uprising resulted from the Belgian deportation.

VILLA STRIPS CHIHUAHUA

Bandit Takes All Artillery Light Pieces and Destroys All Heavy Ones—Is on to Juarez.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, Dec. 4.—Villa stripped Chihuahua City before evacuating of all its artillery light pieces which he carried along and destroyed the remainder, making it certain in the opinion of army men here that he can recapture it when he chooses.

Some say his retirement is for the purpose of drawing the Carranzistas from Juarez and making that city an easy prey for surprise attacks.

REV. GREEN TO CONVENTION

Will Attend Annual Session of Federated Churches of America—Is Member of Country Committee.

The Rev. C. R. Green of the Harmony community church will leave tonight for St. Louis to attend the annual convention of the Federated Churches of America. Mr. Green is a member of the Country Life committee, which is headed by Gifford Pinchot.

W. J. Bryan, Mr. Pinchot and several other prominent men in the country are on the program for addresses at this meeting.

Press Association Meets.

The Northwest Missouri Press association will meet in St. Joeph Friday and will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary. Fred Hull is on the program for an address.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; somewhat cooler Tuesday.

The Fern Tonight

The Iron Claw -A 2-reel act, featured by Pearl White.

THE LITTLE GRAY MOUSE—in 2 reels featured by Edith Roberts and Harry Benham, Universal stars.

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MEMBER MISSOURI PRESS ASSOCIATION

Mrs. Lillie Shelton leaves today for a week's visit in Kansas City, after which she will go to Oklahoma to spend the winter visiting her father and her brothers.

'MOLLY MAKE-BELIEVE' HERE

Marguerite Clark Appears in New Character Role at Empire Tonight —Picture Best Yet.

Everyone who has seen Marguerite Clark in "Wildflower," "Mice and Men," and the other Famous Players-Paramount pictures in which she has played the mischievous little girl, will hail with delight the news that she is to star in an elaborate film adaptation of the popular story, "Molly Make-Believe," which is to be the feature at the Empire tonight.

Only those who have witnessed the diminutive star's portrayal of one of these irresistible little scamps can possibly realize the infinite charm with which Miss Clark invests her interpretations. Molly is one of the most lovable creatures in all fiction, and Miss Clark is admirably suited by temperament and by artistic skill to visualize the petite bearer of good tidings whom Eleanor Hallowel Abbott so delightfully described in her popular book.

It will be remembered that the book centered about a series of letters written to a temporary cripple by Molly. This would seem, at first blush, to constitute rather difficult material for film purposes. But the skill of the producers has woven around these letters an extremely clever and charming photoplay without in any way destroying the spirit of the book. The obvious method of simply visualizing the context of the notes has been carefully avoided and only short, striking quotations from the letters themselves have been inserted occasionally where they would be of most value.

In support of Miss Clark, Director J. Searle Dawley has gathered several well known players, among them J. W. Johnston, Edwin Mordant, Mahlon Hamilton, Helen Dahl, Gertrude Norman and Master Dick Gray.

Molly is an irrepressible youngster, who, when she discovers that her grandmother is short of funds, surreptitiously slips out of the house with her small brother Bobby and her little dog. Clambering aboard a freight train she succeeds in cajoling her way to the city, where she is housed by the engineer of the freight.

After trying in vain to find employment, Molly conceives the idea of writing cheering letters to invalids. Her first client proves to be Carl Stanton, whose broken leg—and broken romance—put him in need of consolation. Molly goes through many disappointments and a number of exciting adventures, but the delightful little romance reaches its inevitable conclusion after Molly has thought her own heart to be broken.

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CONGRESS OPENS

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worked out in detail for the administration by the department of justice is awaiting action in both house and senate. The code, in the form of a dozen individual bills, was introduced in both houses at the last session. It gives the president unprecedented powers and almost unlimited authority to deal with violations of neutrality. It would allow him arbitrarily to refuse clearance to vessels suspected of neutrality violations, and would authorize the use of the armed forces of the country to preserve neutrality.

The measures would likewise provide a strict code for the control of belligerent aliens in the United States in time of war by their native land, and would regulate the conduct of interned aliens.

Continue Conservation Legislation.

President Wilson's demand for conservation legislation, presented to the congress a year ago, has not yet been satisfied, and work on the conservation program must be continued. The elaborate revision of the general dam act, liberalizing conditions under which water power may be developed on navigable rivers and other waterways under federal jurisdiction, is in dispute between the two houses.

Differences in the measure as proposed by the senate and house resulted in sending the bill to a conference committee, where for several months it has been under discussion in a futile effort to find a basis for agreement between the houses. An effort will be made to hasten final action on the

Measures affecting the development of water power on public lands, homestead lands, the development of coal, oil and mineral lands and other minor conservation measures, most of which have been passed by the house, are awaiting action in the senate.

Control Election Expenses.

President Wilson and his advisers are also insistent that congress take some action restricting the use of money in national elections, and in this connection plans have been laid for going into the various charges and counter charges relating to the campaign funds in the November election.

An elaborate bill, closely restricting the use of funds and providing complete publicity of contributions and expenditures by all committees and individuals connected with elections for president, vice president, senators and representatives was passed by the house during the last session. The measure has the endorsement of the president, and an effort will be made to put it through the senate, where vigorous opposition has developed among proponents of various milder restrictions.

Discuss H. C. of L.

The general subject of the high cost of living will undoubtedly come before congress in various forms, but the lack of time for general legislation may prevent action during the short session. Numerous proposals or an embargo against the exportation of wheat, flour and other breadstuffs have been made, but congress probably will take no action until investigations undertaken by various executive departments into the causes of the enormous rise in the prices of the necessaries of life have been completed.

The hosts of woman suffrage advocates returned to their attack on congress today and announced their intention of continuing their fight for an amendment to the national constitution granting nation-wide suffrage to women. But the brief time before congress and the vast amount of routine work to be undertaken promised little in the way of actual results before March 4.

S. S. OFFICERS TO MEET

Nodaway Association to Lay Plans to Bring State Convention to Maryville Next Year.

A conference of the officers of the Nodaway County Sunday School association and also of the various township officers will be held in Maryville Friday to discuss plans for the coming year and also to make an effort to get the State Sunday school meeting for Maryville next year. A banquet for the visitors will be served at the First M. E. church by the ladies of that church that evening.

FRANK GALVINS DYING.

Driver of Auto Which Caused Death of Two, Near End.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 4.—Frank Galvins, driver of the car which caused the death of two when it plunged into stand Saturday, reported to be dying this morning.

BARGAINS
In Notions This Week

J. & P. Coates' best sewing thread, all sizes, spool, only	4c
Royal Society cordichet crochet cotton, all colors and all sizes, **9c a ball**	
Or 10 balls in box, per box	85c
Needle books, containing 4 papers of needles and 9 large needles, only, per book	15c
Good nail brush only	5c
Mother's ironing wax, only	5c
Economy stocking protectors, four for	15c
Hump wire hair pins	5c and 10c
Pins at 1c—**5c and 10c per paper.**	
Bone hair pins, 6 for	10c
Pearl buttons, dozen	5c
25c celluloid combs	18c
Barrettes	5c and 10c
Darning cotton, 2 spools for	5c
Hair net, with and without elastic cord	5c
Athletic hose supporters, all sizes, pair	15c
Safety pins, 3 sizes on card	5c
Bone crochet hoogs	5c
Tatting shuttles, all sizes and kinds, each	10c
Middy laces	5c and 10c
Basting thread, 500-yard spools	5c
Invisible wire hair pins, box	4c
A good hair brush	25c

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There's Real Economy in This Unexpected Reduction on Suits
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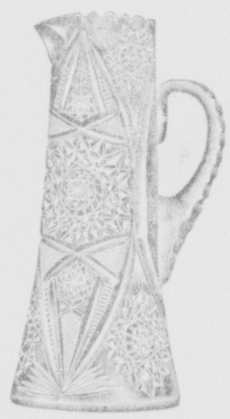

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Think how a beautiful Ring for any friend or member of the family will be treasured. We've many for you to select from and at the price you will want to pay.

Silverware is always fine for a gift. This can be used under almost any circumstance and is always acceptable.

Do you know of a girl who wouldn't love to receive a Beautiful Bracelet or Lavalier?

And what boy is there alive who wouldn't jump with joy at the sight of a fine Watch on Christmas morning. And a Stick Pin too.

Then there's dad and mother who appreciate jewelry a good deal more than you would think. Why not remember them too with something selected from our displays

In fact you can't know how appropriate jewelry really is until you think how many gifts are most in jewelry. From a Cut Glass piece for Aunty, to a Locket for the little girl friend, they will all be glad you thought of giving jewelry.

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Tuesday and Wednesday

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15c for 12 Florida Oranges. These are small size, thin skinned and very juicy. You generally pay 25c for them.

50 pieces fine quality Lean Streaked Bacon, closely trimmed and sugar cured. Pieces of 2 to 4 lbs, at, per lb 22½c

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Fresh Baked Crackers, 5c pkgs, 3 for 10c

Fresh Baked Crackers, half boxes, only 18c

Milk, any kind, 16-oz cans.....11c
Quart cans Sweet Potatoes.....11c
Country Sorghum, gallon pails.....70c
Half-gallon pails.....35c
quart cans 20c
Kellogg's Bran, large pkgs.....25c
Gallon cans California Egg Plums..30c
Gallon cans Apples.....30c
Gallon cans choice Peaches.....40c
Gallon cans Blackberries.....45c
Gallon cans California Apricots....45c
8 bars White Laundry Soap.....25c
6 pkgs Corn Starch.....25c
California Lemons, 12 for.....20c
Bayles' Horseradish, 2 bottles.....15c
Pearl Barley or Farina, 2 pkgs.....15c
9 lbs fancy Blue Rose quality Rice, 45c

Next Week

A Big Flour Sale Will Be On At This Store. You all know the pleasing Quality of Flour Sold here—Next Week's prices will please you equally as well as does the quality.

Toasted Corn Flakes, 10c pkgs for..5c
You can buy as many as you wish.
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Dry Onions, fine Red Globes, 5 lb..25c
Dry Onions, Silver Skins, 6 lbs....25c
Imported Spanish Onions, 4 lbs....25c
Smoked Sugar Cured Shoulders, lb 15c
Weight 7 to 10 lbs each.
Sunmaid Raisins, California seeded, large, 15c pkgs.....12c
Home-made Mince Meat, lb, 15c; 4 lbs for 55c
Whole Wheat Flour, large pkg.....25c
Kellogg's Wheat Biscuit, 2 pkgs...25c
Skinner's Egg Noodles, 3 large pkgs for 25c
10c pkgs Macaroni.....8c
Milk, any kind, 6-oz cans.....6c

Rolled White Oats, bulk, 6 lbs.....25c
Steel Cut Oats, bulk, 5 lbs.....25c
Evaporated Sweet Corn, lb.....15c
Figs, new crop California Layers, 3 pkgs 25c
* Leaf or Head Lettuce, Celery, *
* Cauliflower, choice Bananas, Navel *
* Oranges, Etc., at cut prices. *
1-lb cartons Popping Corn.....5c
6 lbs fresh Flaked Hominy.....25c
Fresh new Nuts, Walnuts, Almonds, Brazils or Filberts, 2 lbs.....45c
Fine Eating Apples basket.....30c
2 cans Old Dutch Cleanser.....15c
4 cans Sunbright Cleanser.....15c
3 cans best Lye Hominy.....25c
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Rev. Houchens Preaches.

Rev. Houchens preached to Mt. Ayr Sunday School class yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hugey of Burlington Junction and their daughter, Mrs. H. E. Roberts and her son, Frank, of Greenleaf, Kan., motored to Maryville today on business and to shop.

Sells 160-Acre Farm.

Henry M. Moore has sold his 160-acre form, known as the John M. Scott farm, 5 miles northwest of Maryville, to W. K. Shade, of near Sheridan. The consideration was $26,000.

Miss Ethel Hasty of Tarkio is visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hasty east of Maryville.

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Calendar.

MONDAY—The Music Department of the Twentieth Century Club has open session at the Elks Club rooms.

The Business Girls meet at the High School building.

Epworth League of South Methodist church. Business meeting at church tonight.

TUESDAY—The M. I. Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. George Moore.

Philathea class of the Christian church has a social at the church.

WEDNESDAY—The I. X. L. Embroidery club meets at the home of Mrs. Ernest Welborn.

THURSDAY—The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will meet at the church at 2:30 o'clock.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. O. Garrett on East Fourth street.

Rebekahs meet in I. O. O. F. hall at 7:30.

FRIDAY—Woodmen Circle meet in W. O. W. hall at 7:30.

SATURDAY—The Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. L. L. Maier on West Fifth street.

Guests at White Home.

Prof. and Mrs. Harry Miller and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. White at their country home north of Maryville.

Mrs. Bantz, Hostess.

Mrs. Jennie Bantz will entertain at dinner this evening, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven and Mr. and Mrs. James Eckles.

Hogues' Return.

Mrs. Hattie Hogue and daughter, Miss Myrtle Hogue returned yesterday from Bedford, where they visited for Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dougherty, and daughter, Louise.

Allens Have Guests.

Those present at a dinner party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Allen were: Misses Myrtle Lanning, Georgia Ellen and Etta Trusty of Burlington Junction, and Daisy, Dora and Maggie Allen.

Grundys Have Guests.

Mrs. F. S. Grundy and daughter, Miss Marie Grundy, entertained with a turkey dinner yesterday at their home on East Fourth street. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Green and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin.

Guests at Youngs.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young and daughter, Ruth, entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday, their guests being: Mr. and Mrs. William Trullinger and daughter, Mary Ervilla, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer and Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehead.

Miss Sherlock, Hostess.

Miss Marie Sherlock entertained at dinner Sunday at her country home, three miles north of Maryville. Her guests were Miss Martha Helpley and Miss Thelma Hunt of this city, Miss Beatrice Bell Behm of St. Joseph. Other guests at the Sherlock home were: Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sherlock.

Trullinger's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Trullinger entertained at dinner yesterday, their guests being, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noakes, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Miss Leora Frances Willhoyte.

O'Grady's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Grady entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday at their home, four miles west of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Donnell of Arkoe, Miss Bertha Merrigan of Clyde, Miss Veronica O'Grady of Graham, Miss Ella O'Grady, and Will and Ray O'Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fox entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their beautiful country home south of Maryville. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts and son, Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ellsworth and son, Henry and daughter, Miss Martha Ellsworth of Maryville, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter K. Brown, and Robert Miller of Otis, Colo.

Mr. James Tippie, Host.

An oyster supper was given at the home of Mr. James Tippie, east of Hopkins, on Thanksgiving evening, to a large number of persons. The party consisted of the friends and neighbors of the host in the community almost to a whole. Everyone enjoyed the occasion passing the time in pleasant conversation or music, when not partaking of the excellent supper prepared for them.

Birthday Surprise.

Jacob B. Moore was pleasantly surprised yesterday when his friends and neighbors came in with well-filled baskets to celebrate his sixty-first birthday anniversary. Those present were Mrs. Nellie Quinn and son, Vincent, W. J. Haley, Mrs. Naomi Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Efford Tibbetts and daughter Leila, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Ashford and family, Noah Sipes, Hiram Murry, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ashford and daughter, Thelma, and Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

For Forrest Gillam.

The Pie Club entertained at a line party at the Empire theatre Saturday evening in honor of Forrest Gillam of the University of Missouri, who spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam. The members present were: Martin Lewis, Merle Seleeman, Donald Hagins, Phil Colbert, Eugene Martin, Howard Martin, Claude Glass, and Harley Hughes. Visitors were: William Van Cleve and Eugene Yehle.

Barks Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barks of near Sheridan very pleasantly entertained a number of friends, relatives and neighbors at their home Friday evening, December 1st. The event was a farewell reception, as Mr. and Mrs. Barks are to leave soon for their future home in Texas. The evening was spent in music and games, and at a late hour refreshments were served, consisting of oysters, fruit salad and cake. The hostess was assisted in serving and entertaining by her sister, Mrs. Elmer Hibbs. All departed expressing regrets at losing the host and hostess from our community, but wishing them well in their future home.

For Mrs. Thompson's Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thompson entertained the following guests at 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening at their home on South Buchanan street, the occasion being Mrs. Thompson's birthday anniversary. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Pete Myers and sons, Daniel and Leo, Miss Mary Herwick, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gallagher, Mrs. Jennie Bantz, and the host and hostess.

"Hard Time" Farewell Party.

A "hard time" and farewell party was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Walker of near Ravenwood, in honor of Miss Ursel Wygal, who will leave soon for her home in Colome, S. D. The evening was spent in playing games. A cake was given to the couple with the tackiest costumes, Misses Gladys Horton and Eva Vaughn Lawson. At a late hour refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. J. Wygal and Mrs. W. R. Millsap. Those present were: Misses Burnetta Farr, Grace Buholt, Ursel Wygal, Eva Vaughn Lawson, Maude Winters, Gertrude Horton, Effie Willis, Osa Spoonemore, Esther Beardsley, Marie Oglesby, Marie Rogers, Chloe Spoonemore, Nona Farr, Fay Willis, Alma Wygal, Georgia Farr and Hallie Spears, Vern Weat, Pearl Lawson, Charley Buholt, Leslie Powell, Gladys Horton, Leo McKee, Elem Beardsley, Floyd Powell, Russell Millsap, Hubert Lawson, Lavell Collins, Fred Winters and George Walker.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wiles were Sunday dinner guests at the Hotel Linville yesterday.

Guests at Linville.

Mrs. J. E. Bailey and Mrs. Frank Garrett Entertain.

Green and white was the effective color scheme used Saturday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. J. E. Bailey, when Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Frank Garrett entertained about 100 guests at dominoes and euchre. In the afternoon dominoes was played, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley being the prize winner. At the refreshment hour the tables were centered with green and white baskets filled with baby's breath and ferns. The rooms were artistically decorated with ferns and chrysanthemums. Assisting the hostesses in the afternoon were: Mrs. Fred Kurtz, Mrs. Harry Todd, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, Mrs. Arch Frank, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Miss Mabel Wells, Miss Mabel Cook and Miss Mary Condon.

In the evening the euchre prize was won by Mrs. Oliver Kurby Bovard. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. Charles Wadley, Miss Georgie Condon, Mrs. T. L. Wilderman, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Miss Mary Condon and Miss Mabel Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffmeister and Miss Gracia McLaury of Clearfield, Ia., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Knobbe east of Maryville.

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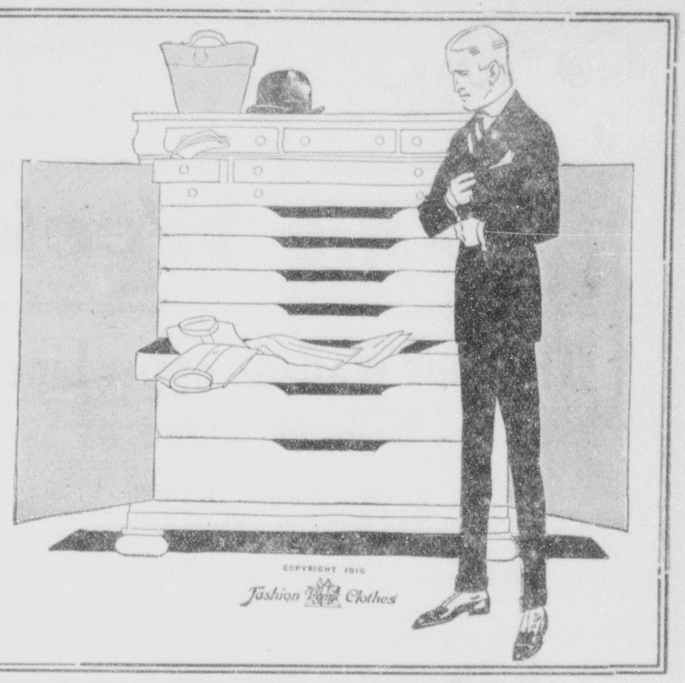

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Thursday, December 7

The following listed property, to wit:

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SEVEN HEAD OF HORSES—One horse 6 years old, weight about 1700 pounds; bay horse coming 4 years old, weight 1200; matched team coming 3 years old, mares, draft stock, good; team of brood mares, weights about 1400 bred; coming yearling filly, black draft.

TWENTY-SIX HEAD OF CATTLE—10 milch cows, all bred for early calving, two of them Jerseys, the rest grade Short Horns, all bred to Short Horn bull. Two coming 2-year-old heifers, Short Horn stock, both pasture bred. Three Short Horn yearlings, one being steer, two heifers. One Short Horn bull coming 2 years old. Ten head of calves, about half and half heifers and steers, all Short Horn stock.

FORTY HEAD OF HOGS—This herd of hogs are Poland-China stock and all in good, thrifty condition. They consist of 2 tried brood sows, bred for March, farrowing. One Poland-China boar 1½ years old. Thirty-seven head of shoats of various sizes up to 75 pounds.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 1200 bushels of good yellow corn of this years raising. This corn is of good quality and desirable in every way. About 100 bushels good white seed oats. About 10 tons timothy and clover hay, mixed. Some of this hay is in barn mow, the remainder is in good stacks. This hay was put up without rain.

FARM IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Two walking cultivators, cider mill, 10 gallon iron kettle, 10 gallon butter churn, Fairbanks stock scales, about 20 bushels home grown potatoes, kitchen cabinet, set double buggy harness, good as new; set double work harness; farm wagon, old Hickory; 2-seated surrey carriage; top buggy with pole; pair of shafts, farm disc, steel harrow, 2-section; J. I. Case lister and drill combined, walking; Case two-plow, gang plow, good as new; Moline corn planter, drill and check row combined; McCormick corn binder, sulky hay rake, Woods mower, hay bull rake, endgate seeder, hay rack, scoop, DeLaval cream separator, gas stove, oil stove, sheet iron heater, about 12 dozen hens, mixed breeds.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash on sales under $10.00. On sums over $10.00, 6 months time at 7 per cent on approved note. Two per cent discount for cash on sums over $10.00.

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. Albright & Seevers will serve hot lunch. We especially invite all our friends and all who want to buy any good stock of any kind, or feed, or implements.

AUCTIONEERS—Miller Bros., Stanberry, O. F. Klaas, Clyde. Carl Wray, Clerk. Do not forget the date. Invite your neighbor and bring him with you.

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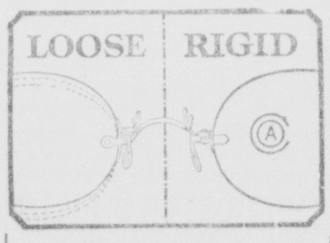

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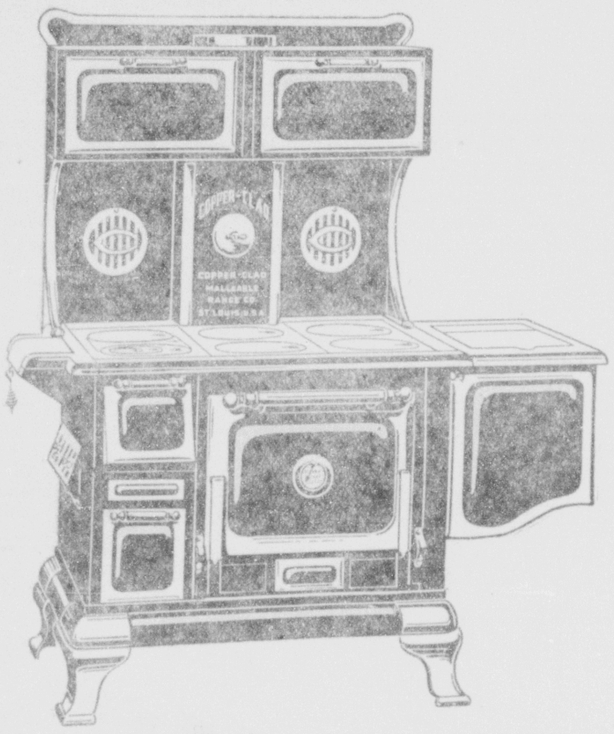

Aluminum Ware Free This Week

While the factory expert is here, his employers permit him to present with each range sold, a set of aluminum ware, without any cost whatever to the range buyer.

We want to call your attention to the quality of this ware. Some aluminum is thin, light, quickly discolored and never feels like it was quite intended for everyday service. It does not stand up.

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CHILD LABOR REGULATION

States, by Taking Hold Now Since Federal Law is Passed, May Abolish Child Labor.

State regulation of child labor in local industries is not yet as thorough as the federal regulation of industries engaged in interstate commerce, according to the annual report of the national child labor committee, just published in the quarterly child labor bulletin. Twenty-eight states allow children to work more than eight hours a day in stores and other local establishments; 19 states have no regulation of street work by children, and 20 states have poor regulations; 23 states need night messenger laws; 26 states do not require medical examination of children for work permits; 12 states have no educational requirements for work permits, and 32 states have standards lower than the fifth grade; one state has no compulsory education law, and 4 states have only local option laws. Therefore, "the 1,850,000 working children whose status cannot be directly affected by any kind of federal regulation present the major problem on which the efforts of the committee may now be concentrated," says Owen R. Lovejoy, the general secretary, in his report. "Congress has forged the tools for an aggressive campaign, and we have now reached the stage where by taking hold instead of letting go we may hope to see the solution of the problem."

That the committee is a strong organization ready for the "aggressive campaign" is suggested in the details of the report, which shows that the membership was larger than ever in 1915, totaling 9,236 persons, that investigations, including studies of agriculture, canneries, textile mills, tenement home work, and vocational training, were carried on in 14 different states, that the committee's exhibits have been shown in 47 cities, and that its newspaper publicity has reached every state in the Union.

The child labor bulletin, containing this annual report, includes also an article on the enforcement of child labor laws which suggests that the mere passage of laws without the machinery to enforce them and without the co-operation of local courts is futile, a detailed discussion of the present child labor situation, and several editorials on the movement for the codification of all child welfare laws, recent state legislation, and the immediate effects of the federal law. Copies of the child labor bulletin may be obtained from the national child labor committee, 105 East 22d street, New York City.

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Marriage License Issued

A marriage license was issued late Saturday afternoon to Robert E. McGinniss and Beulah B. Monts of Maryville.

Teachers' Meeting Success.

The meeting of the Missouri State Teachers' association, recently held in St. Louis, was the most successful in its history. More than 8,000 Missouri teachers were enrolled. The program was varied, numerous section or division meetings being held, so that every teacher could find something of personal interest all the time. One of the most striking features of the program was the demonstration of physical education as given in the St. Louis schools. The association meets next November in Kansas City.

Return to Evanston.

Miss Carrie Margaret Baker and her house guest, Miss Jessie Whiting, of Evanston, Ill., left this afternoon for Evanston, after a few days visit with Miss Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker.

Reception for New Students.

A reception for the new students at this term of the State Normal school, which opened today, will be given tonight at the building. It will be in the nature of a social affair.

Parnell Rebekahs Choose Officers.

The Rebakahs of Parnell met Friday night and elected Mrs. Flora E. Finley as noble grand; vice-guard, Mrs. Byrd Fronk; secretary, Miss Emma Collins; treasurer, Mrs. Oletha Dixon.

Mr. Orear Back.

E. G. Orear returned this morning from Springfield where he attended a meeting of the United Commercial Travelers. Mr. Orear is grand counsellor of the U. C. T.

Prof. P. O. Landon returned this morning from Jerseyville, Ill., where he has been visiting his two sons, Truman and Court Landon and his mother, Mrs. Mary Landon.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Chiropodist and Foot Specialist.

Dr. Tandy will be at Hotel Bainum all this week. Dr. Tandy treats all foot ailments. Will make residence calls. Phone 172. 29tf.

Quitman Schools to Reopen.

The Quitman public schools opened again this morning after a week's vacation on account of the resignation of Miss Lima Rhoades, a teacher. Miss Grace Hunter of Nodaway, Ia., will assume Miss Rhoades' duties.

Miss Merle Oberlander spent Thanksgiving holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stephenson, east of Maryville.

Miss eVronica O'Grady of Maryville and Miss Bertha Merrigan of Clyde were guests of friends in St. Joseph, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs .John Aley and Mr. and Mrs. Clum Aley of Maryville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Aley of Burlington Junction.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page 3).

Miss Hitchcock Married.

The marriage of Miss Leora Hitchcock and Bud Hamilton, both of Skidmore, took place Saturday at Clarinda, Ia., at the home of the groom's sister. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Hitchcock of Skidmore, and has been a saleslady in the Skidmore Mercantile store for several months. Mr. Hamilton has a position with the Nodaway Valley Serum company. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton will make their home in Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Hitchcock entertained Sunday with a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hamilton, who were married Saturday. Only the relatives were present.

Guests at Woodard's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodard assisted by their daughter, Miss Eula Woodard, entertained the following guests at dinner yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. Shube Woodard and daughter Maxine, Mrs. Emma Woodard and Joseph and Frank Woodard.

Rascoe's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rascoe of Barnard entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fanning and family of Barnard Ed. Fanning of Rider, N. D., Miss Bertha Fanning and Mrs. Grace Fogan of Maryville.

Mrs. Curfman, Hostess.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at her home on South Buchanan street. Her guests were Miss Emma Hull, Miss Mabel Gay and John Curfman.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hawk, living southwest of Ravenwood, entertained at dinner Saturday Grandma Fryar and daughter, Miss Ida Fryar, and son, William Fryar, and Mrs. Nan McElvain.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wallace of Parnell, entertained at dinner yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooper, Mrs. Lizzie Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Morris of Hopkins, Tim Butts, George Ulmer.

Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spoonemore, three miles east of Ravenwood, were surprised yesterday by a number of friends in honor of their twenty fifth wedding anniversary. The members of the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Moses Spear, Mr. and Mrs. James Spoonemore, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Spoonemore, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spoonemore and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dack and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spear and family; Mrs. Susan Moore, Ed. Moore, Archie Spoonemore, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Comer, Bertha and Dorothy Lewis, Fred Comer, and Milton Marker.

Entertained at Thanksgiving Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Roberts of Parnell entertained at dinner Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Ol. Roberts and family of Worth; Frank Roberts and family of Worth; John Hubbell and family, and James Hubbell and family of Barnard; Albert Hubbell of Savannah; and Tom Lyle and family of Parnell.

Byergo's Entertain.

Miss Ethel Byergo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Byergo, and Bert Hubbell of Barnard were married in St. Joseph Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbell will make their home on a farm near Barnard.

Robinsons Have Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robinson entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home in Barnard. Plates were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wood of Bolckow, Miss Mary Miller of Maryville, Miss Bertha Miller and Miss Jessie Goforth of Barnard.

Price's Have Dinner Guests.

Mr. and W. G. Price entertained at dinner yesterday at their home in Quitman. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Branson and Charles and Orlando Branson, C. O. Higley, John Burgner, Ed Winslow, Miss Lola Hewitt, Miss Genevieve Rethaford, Donald, Carl and Elizabeth Price and the host and hostess.

FORTY HEAD OF
Duroc-Jersey Gilts

For Sale—35 head of males, all eligible to record and immune. Call

Dowden and Partridge
FARMERS PHONE
Maryville Missouri

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "foggy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All druggists.

FOR RENT—6-room house adjoining Normal, ready any time. J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 4-tf

FOR SALE—Car best grade Illinois egg coal on track, price right. Phone your orders. Yowell & Sons. 4-tf

FOR SALE—Car Iowa lump coal here now, $5.75 tons, city scale weights. Yowell & Sons. 4-tf

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Dec. 4.—WHEAT—December $1.66⅛; May, $1.82¾.

CORN—December, 86⅞c; May, 88¾c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000. Steers($8.11; cows, $5.98.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000. Market 15c higher; top, $9.95; bulk, $5.80.

SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000. Market 10c lower.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 30,000. Market 10c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 60,000. Market slow; top, $10.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 30,000. Market 10c lower.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100. Market 10c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000. Market slow; top, $9.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,500. Market 10c lower.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs.

Butter fat, per lb	36c
Eggs, per doz	32c
Turkeys, per lb	20c
Hides, per lb	17c
Springs, per lb	13c
Hens and pullets, per lb	12c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese, per lb	10c
Roosters and stags, per lb	6c

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

STRAYED—Light red muley cow from Vandersloot's slaughter yard, north of town. A. Vandersloot 2-5*

NO HUNTING or trespassing allowed on our premises. R. C. Hollensbe and M. E. Hollensbe. 2-5*

LOST—Cameo ring, two weeks ago, at Methodist bazaar or around business section. Return here. 1-4

IF YOU WANT coal see us at once. Have a few cars left and it is sure going higher the first cold spell. Glover & Alexander. 28-4

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., south side square. Hanamo 270.

FOR RENT—Large furnished upstairs front room in modern house close in, handy to good board. 309 West Thompson. Hanamo 4718. 4-6*

WILL PAY expenses to Palm Beach county, Florida and return to party giving me small amount of co-operation in home town in spare time. E. T. Anderson, 112 S. Dearborn street, Chicago. 4*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Piano at a bargain if taken at once. Call 5114 or 120 East Edwards. 4-6

FOR SALE—A pair of good coming 2-year-olds. Call Walter Dickey, Farmers phone 50-19. 2-16*

FOR SALE—Good modern residence at a bargain. 120 East First street. 23-6

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, $1.00 each. Come and get them or call Lee Rasco, phone 1610, Barnard. 4-6*

Wanted.

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—To buy span of mares in foal, to weight not les sthan 1,200. Jos. B. Johnston, Farmers phone 50-14. 4-6*

Fine Farm For Sale

We offer for sale at a big bargain, one of the best farms in the county. Contains 243 acres, well improved, in fine condition and located one mile from city limits of Maryville, Mo. This place must be sold by January 1st, 1917, in order to close up an estate. This is a snap, if interested see

F. P. Robinson or J. W. Ray

Closing Out Sale

Having rented my farm I will sell at my place 8 miles northwest of Maryville and 2½ miles northeast of Wilcox commencing at 10 o'clock, on

Wednesday, December 6

the following property:

7 Head of Horses and Mules—2 pair of 3-year-old mules, 1 pair of yearling mules, 1 coming three-year-old horse.

23 Head of Cattle—8 head of choice milch cows, 3 fresh now, others to be fresh soon, 1 yearling heifer, 1 yearling Shorthorn bull, 13 head of spring calves.

56 Head of Hogs—2 Brood sows with 18 fall pigs; 36 head of spring shoats.

Lunch by Ladies of Wilcox Christian Church

Terms:—$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

James T. Patterson

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. S. H. Kemp, Clerk